

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Dear Sir:

In response to the office action mailed August 21, 2009 (the "Office Action"), and in accordance with the Rules of Practice, please enter the following amendments and consider the remarks below. No fees are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this paper, however, should any fees be deemed necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct any such fees from Deposit Account No. 50-1662, referencing the above docket number.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin at page 2 of this reply; **Amendment to the Specification** begin at page 3; and **Remarks** begin at page 30.